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## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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In re:	:	
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STEPHENS, ROBERT W.	:	CASE NO. 13-33911/NLW
Debtor.	:	Chapter 7
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## VERIFIED APPLICATION TO APPROVE EMPLOYMENT OF GREENBAUM ROWE, SMITH & DAVIS LLP AS ATTORNEYS FOR THE CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE

TO: THE HONORABLE NOVALYN L. WINFIELD UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY:

The Application of Nancy Isaacson, Chapter 7 Trustee for the captioned Debtor, herein respectfully represents as follows:

- On October 31, 2013, the captioned debtor, filed a voluntary petition under title
  Chapter 7, United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code").
- 2. Thereafter, I was appointed Chapter 7 Trustee.
- 3. I desire that Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP be retained as my attorneys for the Debtor's case to the date of this Application.
- 4. I have selected Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP as my attorneys primarily

because of Nancy Isaacson's experience and expertise in matters of this character and because I believe that she and the firm are particularly qualified to represent me in these proceedings.

- 5. The professional services that Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP will render are as follows:
  - a. To give me legal advice with respect to my duties in this case;
  - b. To assist me in my investigation of the acts, conduct, assets, liabilities and financial condition of the Debtors and any other matters relevant to these proceedings;
  - c. To prosecute any appropriate adversary proceedings; and
  - d. To perform such other legal services as may be referred and be in the best interests of the Debtors' estate and creditors.
- 6. To the best of my knowledge, Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP neither represents any other party in connection with this case nor holds or represents any interest adverse to the Debtors or its creditors and is a "disinterested person" pursuant to Section 101(14) of the Code.
- 7. No previous application for the relief requested herein has been made to this Court.

WHEREFORE, the Trustee prays that the Court approve the employment of the firm of

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Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP under a general retainer, to represent her in this case under Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, and that it grant such other and further relief as is just and proper.

/s/ Nancy Isaacson Nancy Isaacson, Chapter 7 Trustee

Dated: December 13, 2013

## **VERIFICATION PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. §1746**

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I, Nancy Isaacson, hereby certify under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing

Application and the statements contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge,

information and belief.

/s/Nancy Isaacson NANCY ISAACSON

Dated: December 13, 2013